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SAY!

(By CHARLES J. ARNOLD)

The latest Scotch story comes to me from Ralph Confer who is telling about the Scotchman who asked one of the Siamese twins to go to dinner with him "if she could get away."

A Greencastle restaurant man recently refused to sell a customer the three pieces he had left of his last pie for fear "company might come in for supper." Which reminds me of the merchant who refused to advertise because "the last time he did the people bought everything he had."

If you did not have a Happy Christmas, I'm sorry. But surely you did.

One of the nicest compliments I have received in a long time came to me on Christmas eve from a Greencastle woman who informed me that she not only read THE HERALD herself but that she had subscribed for three other copies which she sends to former Greencastle people. And, to make it better, she told me how much she enjoyed reading this column. Now, that alone was enough to make my Christmas mighty happy.

The Stock Market is settling down and the margin buyers are settling up.

There were more "Scotchmen" during the Christmas card season this year that I ever knew of before. Why I have enough Christmas cards addressed and signed with lead pencils to supply my 1930 Christmas demand. All a fellow has to do is do a little erasing and then pass them on to his friends next year.

Thanks for the socks and neckties they were most acceptable.

About the meanest man I know of is the fellow who presented his wife with a \$100 check on Christmas morning, and then, after she had thoroughly enjoyed the thrill, sneaked it away from her and tore it up.

Judging from the "loudness" of some of the pajamas I saw pass over the counters this Christmas Shopping season, Christmas must have been a "boisterous" holiday in several homes.

Honestly, I don't understand how anyone could even sleep in the same room with such "wideawake" slumber apparel.

There is one mighty nice thing about the kind of weather we have been having during the last few weeks—a fellow don't have to wear himself out cutting the grass.

Christmas comes but once a year
And now that it has went
It's left behind some flatly broke
And others badly bent.

I called up one of my alleged friends the other evening to ascertain if he had a telephone and he ended our conversation with: "I'm mighty glad you wrote." Which was not at all unsatisfactory.

I read in the paper that John Upthrew his wife down stairs. Looks like the wife was suffering some ups and downs in her married life.

Some times I wonder if the underworld isn't about to get on top.

Thanks for the fine Christmas gifts folks. The sex and neckties were simply wonderful. But some thought less one took me at my word and left a turkey at my door. Now I appreciate the Turkey all right, but honestly it was more than I really expected.

There seems to be some little contention among our U. S. Senators regarding the sincerity of the Prohibition Enforcement forces. It is said, by some, that the officers are not trying to enforce the law. And, if existing conditions are any criterion, one of two things certainly is true: the officers are not trying to enforce the laws or they are trying and are woefully unsuccessful.

They certainly have the old Christmas spirit out in Northwood. One of my friends out there got up at 3 o'clock, Christmas morning to call me up and wish me a "Merry Christmas."

One of the most pleased fellows in Northwood on Christmas morning was Don McLean who went bear hunting in Louisiana this fall but failed to get his bear. One of his friends sent him one for Christmas. Ask him about it.

BANDITS KILL LEADER OF POSSE

LOCAL STRING BAND TO BROADCAST SATURDAY NIGHT

The McCullough and Hamm String Band of the Lone Star Cement Company will leave Saturday for Evansville where the musicians will broadcast a program from Station WGFB Saturday night from 7 to 9 o'clock. Musicians who compose the band are Ross McCullough, J. M. Jones, Howard Hamm, Bert Hamm and Leslie Frank.

NEWGENT HAILED AS MIRACLE MAN IN SHELBYVILLE

FORMER GREENCASTLE BOY, NOW ATHLETIC DIRECTOR OF HIGH SCHOOL, GIVEN CREDIT FOR DEVELOPING FAST SQUAD—DEFEATING AURORA BRINGS PRAISE

H. H. Newgent, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Newgent of Clinton township, and a former Greencastle boy now Director of Athletics in the Lawrenceburg, Indiana, High School is making a great record as coach of the High School basketball team. The Shelbyville newspaper, in commenting on a recent victory over Aurora H. S. team, says:

"To say the Tiger victory was generally unexpected would be putting it mildly. Aurora has previously won over North Vernon, a team which defeated L. H. S., several weeks ago by 23 points. Every comparison of records compiled by the two quintets this season favored the down-the-river team. Last year this identical Red Devil team defeated L. H. S. on four occasions. The victory this year can be attributed to just two things: superior teamwork and excellent coaching. Coach Newgent may well be called the "Miracle Man." This season with little prospective material he has developed a team that from a scientific standpoint is the best to ever represent old L. H. S. on hardwood. Newgent is a sportsman in the biggest sense of the word and is a credit to the game he teaches."

LOCAL PENNEY EMPLOYEES SHARE IN XMAS BONUS

SIX WOMEN WHO HAVE BEEN WITH STORE SINCE IT OPENED, SHARED IN DISTRIBUTION—TOTAL OF \$481.175.50 GIVEN BY COMPANY

Employees of the local J. C. Penney Company store shared in the customary bonus given by the company each Christmas.

Six women, who have been with the store since it was opened here, shared according to their total sales and their customary salary. Men do not share in the bonus.

Miss Neva Phillips, Mrs. Ella Vesnaal, Miss Dovie Sublett, Miss Martha Bittles, Miss Myrtle Herbert and Miss Letha Modlin received checks this year.

Only employees of the store who have been working since January 1, 1929 or before, are entitled to the bonus. Those with the longest service records get the largest amounts, although here there is no difference on that score, as all have worked the same length of time.

A total of \$481.175.50 was distributed this year to associates of the 1,400 stores of the company.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Wayne Hutcheson, 21, laborer, Putnam County, and Gladys Jackson, 21, cigar maker, Clay county.

Harold G. Crawley, 22, presser, Greencastle, and Mary Elizabeth Miller, 22, telephone operator, Muncie.

Clarence E. Beck, 22, Putnam Co., and Josephine Walters, 22, Hendricks county.

Leonard Greenlee, 34, waiter, of Greencastle, and Faunel Baize, 19, inspector, Indianapolis.

THREE HELD FOR ROBBERY OF PERU BANK

NEW APPROACH TO CAPTURE OF FRED BURKE, NOTED CHICAGO ST. VALENTINE'S DAY PERPETRATOR, SEEN

WITNESSES VIEW MEN

Resemblance to Robbers Who Used Machine Gun in Indiana Hold-up Cause Police to Suspect Complicity

PERU, Ind., Dec. 26.—(INS)—A new avenue of approach to Fred Burke, alleged Chicago St. Valentine's Day massacre perpetrator, bank bandit and desperado, was being investigated by police here today through the questioning of three Lafayette men, partially identified as three of the seven bandits who held up and robbed the First National Bank here of \$92,000 on Oct. 18.

Burke has been positively identified through a photograph as the leader of the Peru bank robbery.

The three held by police were J. W. West, 30; John D. Nolan, 29, and Harry Cook, 19.

The men originally were arrested in connection with a number of petty crimes at Michawaka, but while they were being questioned, police suspected that they might have had knowledge of the Peru hold-up. All three have denied participation in the Peru "job", but a number of witnesses of that crime said they resembled the robbers.

The Peru bank robbers fired volleys up and down the city's principal street, wounding a policeman and a railroad worker. Their leader, alleged to have been Burke, was seated in an automobile at the trigger of a machine gun.

TWO AFFIDAVITS FILED AGAINST BILL COFFMAN

ALLEGED DRUNKEN DRIVER WHO BLOCKED TRAINS ON BIG FOUR RAILROAD CHARGED WITH INTOXICATION AND DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED

William "Bill" Coffman, local garage mechanic, who drove an automobile onto the Big Four railroad tracks at the local station Sunday midnight blocking traffic on the railroad for an hour, faces affidavits filed in the Putnam Circuit court today charging him with public intoxication and driving a car while under the influence of liquor.

The two affidavits were filed by Fred Wampler, captain of detectives on the Big Four Railroad.

Coffman is alleged to have been under the influence of liquor when he drove a heavy car across the station platform and headed west on the railroad right of way. He stalled the auto in snowdrifts and the local railroad operator was forced to stop a fast through train which waited while the trainmen labored for an hour clearing the auto from the tracks.

Coffman was arrested this afternoon and released under bond of \$300 by Judge James P. Hughes pending arraignment at the January term of court.

CIGARS STOLEN

Several boxes of cigars were stolen from the Oak Hill filling station and eating house on the National Road by thieves last night, according to a report to Sheriff Edward Eiteljorge. No one saw the thief get the "smokes." It is believed a passing motorist helped himself to the cigars.

Several nights ago a slot machine containing coins was taken from the filling station across the National Road from Oak Hill park.

FIVE YEAR OLD BOY IS PLAINTIFF IN DAMAGE SUIT

A five year old boy, LeRoy Belling, has filed suit in the Clay Circuit court on a change of venue from the Putnam circuit court for \$5,000 damages for personal injuries as the result of an automobile accident.

The suit is brought by the father, Harold Belling, against Guy Sud-dith and Kenneth Buntin, owners of other automobiles. Another similar suit is brought by Olive E. Belling against the same parties for \$5,000 damages. It is also venued here.

TRAGIC DEATH OF JESS RENO DISCOVERED

PARTLY DEVoured BODY OF QUINCY MAN FOUND IN HOG LOT LAST SUNDAY—FARMERS FIND REMAINS WHEN THEY START SEARCH FOR MISSING MAN

The Spencer Evening World of Monday says:

Only a small portion of the body of Jess Reno, 47, recluse who lived about one and one-half miles southwest of Quincy, was found Sunday afternoon when Kirk Way and Elmer Mugg went to his home to learn the cause of his non-appearance about his house. A tragic death had evidently been met with by Reno, who lived alone in his small home about three-quarters of a mile from the road.

The remains of the body were found in the hog lot where only one animal, a large sow, was being kept at the time. The two lower limbs, incased in boots were intact, but the remainder of the body had been almost completely devoured by the sow. The bones had been disjunct and some of them crushed and the lower portions of the skull were missing.

It is thought that Reno, who is subject to heart attacks had fallen dead while feeding the animal and it had devoured his body.

Mr. Reno, who had lived very much to himself since the death of his wife several years ago, had not been seen by neighboring farmers for about a week, which resulted in the investigation.

Zale Reno, a son of Jess Reno who lives in Crawfordsville, was at once notified of his father's death but has not arrived yet.

Coroner L. O. Fish was notified of the death of Mr. Reno and he left early this morning for the scene of the tragedy. His report was that death resulted from heart failure and that the man had been dead about a week.

MISSING MAN FOUND FROZEN IN WABASH

TERRE HAUTE, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Barnard Heppen, 80, missing more than a week, was found frozen to death about fifty feet from the bank of the Wabash River near here. It was believed the old man wandered away from his home during the recent big blizzard.

20 Years Ago
IN GREENCASTLE
From the Files of
THE HERALD 20 Years Ago
To-day

Oscar Thomas will read a paper on the subject, "What the Teacher Can Do" at the State Teachers' Association in Indianapolis next Monday.

Wallace Welch, Olga Pfahler, Wilber Smith, John Halbert Stoner, Thelma and Gordon Schmitt, Frank Irvin, Blanche Reed and Grace Browning will give recitations and songs at the program of the Presbyterian church tomorrow night.

Lucius Chapin is home from Chicago to spend the holidays with relatives. He is a traveling salesman with Proctor & Gamble.

GRAND JURY TO HEAR 100 IN LYNCHING PROBE

VICTIM OF MOB IS SAID TO HAVE NAMED FOUR ASSAILANTS WHO DRAGGED HIM FROM JAIL

VICTIM SHOT 8 TIMES

Confessed Slayer of Wealthy Kentucky Farmer Found Lying in Snow—Taken to Hospital

JACKSON, Ky., Dec. 26.—(INS)—More than 100 persons today were scheduled to appear before the county Grand Jury and explain their alleged appearance at the attempted lynching of Chester Fugate, 36, confessed slayer of Clay Watkins, prominent citizen and wealthy farmer of Breathitt county.

A mob of approximately 100 armed men yesterday invaded the Breathitt County jail, bound and gagged Jailer S. L. Combs and forced Fugate, clad only in his night garments, to accompany them to a highway and a brief approximately five miles from here.

Five hours later Fugate was found lying in the snow, suffering from 8 bullet wounds. While still conscious in a hospital, Fugate is understood to have named four of his attackers. Authorities said murder charges would be lodged against these four in the event Fugate dies.

Fugate, who lived with an aged father, quarreled with Watkins over money the latter is said to have owed him. The shooting followed.

CAPITAL CITY HAS EPIDEMIC OF MENINGITIS

CHRISTMAS DAY DEATHS INCREASES TOLL TO 23 PERSONS—HEALTH OFFICIALS BROADCAST WARNING

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 26.—(INS)—The death toll of the epidemic of cerebro-spinal meningitis in Indianapolis today stood at 23 persons during the last three weeks. Thirty-four persons have contracted the disease. Five persons died on Christmas Day and three new cases were sent to the City Hospital.

Six squads, consisting of one doctor and one technician each, today continued isolating all cases that developed and quarantining the residences of persons having the disease. Dr. Herman G. Morgan, city health officer, urged all persons to stay away from crowds, where the disease is spread.

To prevent policemen from contracting the disease, Police Chief Claude M. Worley warned them not to smell the breaths of suspected drunks and other persons.

KIWANIS CLUB TO ENTERTAIN BOYS

The Kiwanis Club will entertain a group of Greencastle boys at a Christmas dinner and party at the Christian Church Friday noon at 12:15 o'clock. O. W. Hollowell is in charge of the program. Every member is urged to be present. There will be a boy for each member.

SON OF DENMAN WRITES ARTICLE

R. W. Denman, son of Mayor-elect W. L. Denman and a former Greencastle boy, is the author of an article, "How We Budget to Protect Profit." In the current number of "Sales Management." Mr. Denman is director of sales promotion and advertising for the Troy Laundry Machinery company of New York City.

DEATH OF MRS. KATE ELLIOTT BRECKENRIDGE WEDNESDAY

A message has been received here telling of the sudden death, on Christmas Day, of Mrs. Kate Elliott Breckenridge, of Brookston, Indiana, a former Greencastle woman. Mrs. Breckenridge was the daughter of the late Pat Elliott, well known Greencastle resident. Mrs. Breckenridge's death was sudden, being caused by an attack of heart disease. Funeral services will be held at Brookston on Friday. Mrs. Keith Roberts of this city and Miss Code Elliott are nieces of Mrs. Breckenridge.

DRY RAIDERS SHOOT SON OF POLICEMAN

ALLEGED SMUGGLER OF LIQUOR AND NARCOTICS FROM CANADIAN SHORE FATALLY SHOT—COMPANION ESCAPES

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 26.—(INS)—Investigation was to be started today into the shooting by coast guardsmen of Eugene Downey, 27-year-old son of Police Lieutenant Eugene F. Downey, while cruising in a small boat here last night.

Downey, out on \$1,000 bail after having been arrested last week by special agents of the coast guard intelligence unit on a liquor smuggling charge, was speeding across the Niagara river when, according to authorities, he failed to stop in answer to commands of coast guardsmen. They opened fire with a machine gun. Downey crumpled to the floor of his craft with a bullet in his abdomen. The other occupant of the boat, putting on full speed, ran the boat into shore and escaped. His identity has not been learned.

No liquor or narcotics were found in the boat. Downey's craft, officials said, answered the description of one which they suspected of running liquor and narcotics from the Canadian shore.

The slain youth was one of nine arrested in connection with alleged smuggling activities of the barge Loretta, which, it is charged, brought many cases of liquor to Buffalo from an Ontario port a few months ago.

SOUTHARD BOOK STORE SOLD TODAY

SAM HANNA, POPULAR TEACHER IN LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL TO TAKE ACTIVE CHARGE JANUARY 1—PRESENT OWNER RETIRING BECAUSE OF EYESIGHT

Sale of the C. T. Southard Book store, operated for the past three and one-half years by C. T. Southard to Sam Hanna, high school teacher, was announced today. Mr. Hanna will take charge of the book store January 1 and will operate it under the name of Sam Hanna's Book store.

Mr. Southard, who has been connected with the store nearly forty years, is retiring because of failing eyesight. The store itself dates back to 1872 when J. K. Langdon opened it here. Mr. Southard worked as a clerk for Mr. Southard from 1877 to 1886 and returned to the store in 1906 as Mr. Langdon's partner. He bought Mr. Langdon's interest in 1926 when Mr. Langdon retired because of failing health.

Mr. Hanna has been teaching in the local high school for the past six years. He came in 1919 and graduated from DePauw university in 1924, taking a position as teacher of science in the high school the same year. He has been extremely popular as an instructor and no doubt will enjoy the same success in his venture in the book store business. He announced today that he would continue teaching during the present school year.

SMITH GROVE BANKER IS BULLET VICTIM

ROBERT KIRBY, 50, OF SMALL KENTUCKY TOWN, HEADED POSSE THAT TRIED TO STOP BANDITS TO-DAY

BANDITS GET \$1,000

Bank Robbers Abandon Car and Engage in Gun Battle at Posse Behind And Front Close In

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., Dec. 26.—(INS)—Robert Kirby, 50, president of the Farmers' Bank of Smith Grove, Ky., was shot and killed in a gun battle with bandits who a few minutes before had held up the Bank of Oakland at Oakland, ten miles north of here today.

The bandits also wounded Charles Bass, of Smith Grove, with a bullet through his foot.

Soon after \$1,000 had been taken from the Oakland bank, news was telegraphed to Smith Grove. A posse with Kirby as leader, was organized and went out to meet the bandits. They were also followed by a posse from Oakland.

The bandits abandoned their car and engaged in a gun battle killing Kirby and wounding Bass.

At the Oakland bank the bandits held up J. Frank Grimes and Oscar Gaines, and forced them to go into a rear room used for meetings of the board of directors.

"Send us out the man who has charge of the money," the bandits called.

Gaines with his hands up emerged from the room. One of the bandits flourished a revolver and forced Gaines to open the money drawer and safe.

GALES CLAIM MANY LIVES

LONDON, Dec. 26.—(INS)—The terrific gales which swept the British Isles and the western coast of Spain yesterday taking a toll of at least 28 lives, abated somewhat today but shipping was still endangered by strong winds and mountainous seas. Twenty-six lives were lost when the Norwegian freighter Aslaug was pounded to pieces on the shoals of the Fallowes.

Two persons were killed and scores injured in the British Isles. Shipping was disrupted and property damage was heavy.

London itself was hard hit. The rising waters of the Thames inundated low lying districts of the city flooding many cellars.

THREE IN CAR ELECTROCUTED

CASTLE, Okla., Dec. 26.—(INS)—Three men are dead here today as the result of being electrocuted two miles west of Castle last night when the motor car in which they were riding struck and fell a high tension power line post.

"Doc" Glasswell of Faden, Okla., who was riding in the car was not injured.

"Mike Carson of Prague, Okla., R. G. Duvall, Paden and Lawrence Williams of Norman, Okla., were killed instantly when they became entangled in the power line.

It is believed that the driver of the car was blinded by the lights of another motor car causing it to swerve from the road.

THE WEATHER

Fair to unsettled tonight and Friday. Slightly warmer tonight except in extreme southwest portion. Colder Friday in west and north portions and by night in southeast portion.

BASKETBALL

GREENCASTLE VS. ROOSEVELT, EAST CHICAGO

GREENCASTLE SECONDS VS. GLENFORD, OHIO

High School Gymnasium

FRIDAY NIGHT, DECEMBER 27

FIRST GAME CALLED AT 7 O'CLOCK

ADMISSION 40 CENTS

LOCAL TOPICS

County agent Floyd Miller spent Christmas at his home at Lafayette.

Robert Gifford, 52-year old resident of Bainbridge, lies at the point of death at his home.

Russell Lakin, of Indianapolis, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Lakin, is at home for the holidays.

Dr. John Carmack, Indianapolis specialist will be at the Putnam county hospital Friday to perform tonsil operations.

Aubrey Quinn, 48, of Evansville, Penal Farm inmate, died Wednesday night of pneumonia. The body was taken to the Lakin funeral home.

Eugene Toney of Jeffersonville is here spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Charles Toney, west Franklin street, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Phillips and sons Dick and Phil, of Terre Haute, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Lakin, east Washington street.

Ellis Cowling and wife of Gurnee, Ill., and Prof. and Mrs. C. D. W. Hildebrand of this city, took Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Cowling, 110 east Poplar street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Royse and daughter Virginia, of Brazil, spent Christmas with Mrs. Royse's parents Mr. and Mrs. Roy Abrams, west Poplar street.

County treasurer and Mrs. Alva E. Lisby entertained at a Christmas eve dinner and tree Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Cash and family of Greencastle, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lisby and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Lisby, of Fillmore.

Mrs. Jessie Talburt of Greencastle and daughter Miss Florence Talburt, who teaches in Michigan, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown and family at Fillmore. Paul Brown of Indianapolis also spent the day with his parents.

Sheriff Edward Eiteljorge is holding a Mexican in the County Jail awaiting action of federal authorities who will deport him. The Mexican has just completed a term on the Indiana State Farm where it was learned he had not taken out naturalization papers. The Mexican will be held here until the government gets a sufficient number of aliens collected in various jails to make a wholesale deportation.

BRONCHITIS
At bedtime rub the throat and chest thoroughly with—
VICKS VAPORUB
OVER 17 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Paris of Spencer at the Putnam county hospital today.

A major operation was performed on Earl Wiley by Dr. W. R. Hutcheson at the Putnam county hospital today.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Wright and son Roland Kent, of Dayton, O., and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lisby, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Alter and Will Glidewell, all of Fillmore, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Wright at Fillmore.

Miss Martha Crouch and Mrs. Frances Cheek, east Seminary street, left today for West Palm Beach, Florida where they will spend the winter. Mrs. Ina Macdonald and daughter, Miss Freda Macdonald, who is a senior in DePauw will occupy the home during their absence.

Elder L. H. Athey married two couples here Christmas Eve. One ceremony united Leonard Greenlee, of Greencastle and Faunel Baize of Indianapolis, and the other united Wayne Hutcheson, Putnam County farmer, and Gladys Jackson, cigar maker of Brazil.

MRS. ALGER TAKEN TO WABASH TO FACE CHARGE
INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 24—(INS)—Released in custody of her father and her attorney, Mrs. Josephine Alger, pretty red-haired bride of Gene Alger, policeman-slayer and bank bandit, was believed to have spent last night here and to have gone today to Wabash where she faces charges.

Judge John R. Carney, of the Jennings County circuit court, released Mrs. Alger, who is an expectant mother, to the custody of her father, Rummels Miller, a Jeffersonville police sergeant, and her lawyer Claude McBride, also of Jeffersonville.

FARMER RUNS AMUCK; THREE ARE KILLED
CAMERON, Texas, Dec. 24—(INS)—Three men were dead here today and a fourth was recovering from wounds received when Anton Huebner, middle aged farmer, ran amuck with an automatic rifle and fired upon every person who came within range.

Hubert Hefley, automobile dealer, and Charles Sens, policeman, were shot to death when Huebner appeared in Hefley's place of business and without warning started firing rapidly. Sheriff Henry Blaylock was shot in the knee.

Huebner was slain when Eugene Smith, attracted by the shots, whipped out a pistol and fired once. The farmer was believed to have been deranged as the result of a blow two years ago which fractured his skull.

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MAY REMOVE HOOVER OFFICE FROM RESIDENCE

DAMAGING FIRE AROUSES STRONG DEMAND IN CAPITAL THAT EXECUTIVE OFFICE BE DIVORCED FROM RESIDENCE

By GEORGE E. DURNO
International News Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—As a direct result of Tuesday night's disastrous fire at the White House, a strong demand developed in Congress today for the erection of a new, and totally divorced executive office.

Reps. Fred A. Britten (R) of Ill., and Royal S. Johnson (R) of South Dakota, were among the leaders in the movement for a separate building for the presidential office staff, and they were joined by a number of other prominent Republican members.

It appeared that the Christmas eve fire which ruined the West Wing of the White House had given a real impetus to the proposal that a new structure, located adjacent to, but apart from the main dwelling of the presidential family, be built. The holidays had taken many members of Congress back to their homes, but those who could be reached concurred in the idea that number 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue should be a residence only.

President Hoover viewed all this discussion meanwhile without comment, for the next three or four days he will use the Lincoln study, one removed from the end room of the upper floors in the East Wing, as an office. In the end rooms he plans to lodge his personal stenographers and clerks.

George Akerson, secretary to the President, will hold forth in the corridor using the Lincoln Cabinet table as a desk. Walter Newton and Lawrence Ritchey, the other two secretaries, temporarily will use the two rooms opposite.

Col. U. S. Grant, superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds said that 60 to 90 days would be consumed in repairing the damaged West Wing. He and his subordinates promised an accurate estimate of the cost by noon today.

The first of next week, Mr. Hoover will move into the office of General John J. Pershing—a little-used suite—in the State and War Department, just across the street.

A readjustment of office space will permit the more necessary of his staff to follow him. In the meantime the basement floor of the executive office was being dried out to permit occupancy by the general staff. The East room was turned over to reporters and photographers for a temporary press room. This meant a temporary closing of the White House to visitors, and also presaged a material reduction in the number of engagements the President can keep during the rest of the week.

FEW LIQUOR DEATHS DURING CHRISTMAS

By International News Service
A marked decrease in the number of liquor deaths was revealed today in nation-wide survey of post-Christmas casualties by International News Service.

Based on reports gathered through out the country, there were less fatalities from poisoned liquor this Christmas than ever before.

Up until noon today, few deaths from alcohol were registered. Patrick Clifford, railroad laborer, died in New Haven. Samuel Fleming, 20, was a victim of alleged poison liquor at Bellaire, O. Two liquor fatalities were reported in San Francisco, one resulting from a man mistaking acid for liquor. Robert E. Hudson, war veteran, was said to have died from bad liquor at Richmond, Va.

Buster Edenfield died at Louisville, Ga., from the effects of liquor after waging \$15 with two friends he could safely imbibe a quart.

Despite the drop in the booze death list, the supply of alcoholic beverages was reported undiminished.

ROACHDALE WINNER OF XMAS GAME

Overcoming their opponents lead in the first few minutes of the game, Roachdale, sectional high school champions of 1929, took the lead and easily defeated the Glenford, O. quintet, 67 to 23, in a Christmas net tilt on the Roachdale floor last night. The winners led 30 to 10 at the half.

Glenford's cagers snagged the first basket but Roachdale soon took a 6 to 5 lead never again to be headed. The Putnam boys tossed in one basket after another to swamp the out-state team.

It was Glenford's first defeat out of eight starts this year. The team was weakened by the loss of S. Herick, star guard, who was injured last Friday night and was unable to accompany the team here.

Boner, C. Martz and Perkins led the Roachdale basket tossers in scoring while points made by the visitors were evenly distributed.

MRS. ALGER HELD UNDER HIGH BOND

WABASH, Ind., Dec. 24—(INS)—Mrs. Josephine Miller Alger, pretty 22-year old red haired bride of Gene Alger, Indianapolis bank robber, was lodged in the Wabash County jail here today when she was unable to furnish bond in the sum of \$15,000. She is under indictments here which charge her with aiding her husband to escape after he robbed the Lafontaine Bank of \$1,000 near here last October. A second count charges her with being an accessory to and during the commission of the bank robbery.

When Circuit Judge Frank O. Switzer informed Mrs. Alger's attorney, Claude McBride and her father, Rummels Miller, both of Jeffersonville, Ind., that the bond on the present charges would be \$15,000 for Mrs. Alger, both said they were unable to raise that sum.

Both men immediately set out for Lafontaine to plead with the officials of the robbed bank to consent to the quashing of the two indictments against Mrs. Alger and substitute for them a minor charge. They said they could raise a bond of \$5,000.

Livestock

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 26—(INS)—Hogs 9,000; holdovers 163; market mostly steady. Bulk 160-300 lbs. \$10.15; a load or two \$10.25; 130-160 lbs. \$9.55-\$9.90. 100-130 lbs. \$8.90-\$9.40. Packing hogs mostly \$8-\$8.75. Cattle 1200; calves 400; slaughter classes strong to higher, bulk beef steers 12.50-\$15.50. Most cows \$7-\$9. Not many heifers above \$12.70. Choice lightweights quotable \$14.50 and better. Low cutters and cutters \$5-\$6.50. Vealers 50c higher \$17.50 down.

Sheep 1,000; market—lambs strong to higher, bulk \$13-\$13.75. Strictly choice handweights quotable to \$14. Throwouts \$10-\$12.50.

NATIVE OF FILLMORE DIES AT VEEDERSBURG

VEEDERSBURG, Dec. 24—Willard Robinson, highly respected resident of the Veedersburg community, passed away at his home near here Monday night following a year's illness of cancer.

The deceased was born May 4, 1859, in Putnam county, near Fillmore, the son of Louis and Armilda Robinson. His early life was spent in Crawfordsville. Forty-three years ago he moved to the vicinity of Veedersburg, where he has been engaged in agriculture.

His wife preceded him in death about a year ago. Three sons, one Charles of Covington, sheriff of Fountain county; a daughter, four sisters and two brothers, survive.

The funeral will be held Thursday at 1:30 o'clock at the New Liberty Christian church with Rev. O. W. McGaughey in charge. Burial will be in the Rockfield cemetery.

PIERSON HAS PRISON RECORD OFFICERS SAY

EVANSVILLE MAN STILL HELD IN COUNTY JAIL FOR CONNECTION WITH SLAYING OF WILLIAM KEMPE OF INDIANAPOLIS IN HI-JACKING BATTLE

Roscoe Pierson, 27, of Evansville, arrested in Indianapolis Wednesday, a week ago, for alleged connection with the slaying of William Kempe, Jr., of Indianapolis, alleged hi-jacker in a gun battle between liquor runners and hi-jackers west of Bainbridge December 17, has a prison record, local officers have learned in their checking up on his past record.

Pierson served two terms on the Indiana State Farm in 1924 on liquor charges. One sentence was 60 days in addition to a \$100 fine for violation of the liquor laws, and another was 10 days and a fine of \$10 for operating a vehicle while under the influence of liquor.

Pierson also served a term in White's Institute, a boy's school at Wabash, for assault and battery, officers say.

Local authorities and state police hope to link Pierson with the rum running car through finger prints on the machine and an empty gun found near the scene.

FISTS BEST CHICAGO YEGG

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Dec. 26—(INS)—"Never rob a place when an Indiana prize fighter is nearby."

That was a new axiom in the copy book of Chicago gangland today following the sad Christmas of one Lloyd Taylor, 25, alleged Chicago bandit, who today was in the Allen County Jail here.

When Taylor strolled out of the Harrison Hill drug store here last night, he chuckled because the \$400 he obtained from the proprietor was such easy money.

But that was before he encountered Frankie Jarr, local boxer. Rights and lefts, uppercuts, kidney punches and other maneuvers of Fisticiana began to descend upon the Chicago bad boy as soon as Jarr realized the situation. Customers in the drugstore cheered from their ringside seats.

Young Mr. Taylor took the count and regained consciousness in the county jail.

COMMANDERY NOTICE

Special Conclave Greencastle commandery No. 11, K. T., Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Election officers, T. G. Yunker, Com., E. E. Caldwell, Rec.

WANT ADS.

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room house. East Seminary street. See C. J. Arnold. Herald office.

HAPPIEST CHRISTMAS and Merriest of New Years to old and new friends and customers. The Beauty Box, Mrs. Daisy M. Godfrey, Mgr.

108 MEN IN INDIANA and hundreds of others in other states are enjoying a good steady income selling the Whitmer line of household and stock remedies, extracts, soaps, toilet articles and other specialties. The most of these men were inexperienced when they started. If you are honest and bear a good reputation, there is an opportunity awaiting you. You might get exclusive territory right at home. No shut-downs or lay-offs in this business. Write today for particulars. No obligations. The H. C. WHITMER COMPANY, box 208, Columbus, Indiana.

THERE WILL BE a Market and Chicken Dinner at Court House Saturday. Bethel Baptist Church.

SOCIETY

Miss Brown Is Holiday Guest of Mrs. Bruner

Miss Beulah Brown, head of the English department of Muskingum college at New Concord, Ohio, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bruner during the holidays.

Harold G. Crawley Weds Muncie Girl

The marriage of Miss Mary Elizabeth Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forest D. Miller of Muncie, and Harold G. Crawley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crawley, of Maple Heights, occurred at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock with the Rev. Mrs. Grace Black officiating, using the single ring ceremony.

Only the immediate family of the bridegroom witnessed the wedding. The marriage occurred in the same room and place and in the same month that the bridegroom's parents were married twenty-six years ago.

The bride is a graduate of Muncie high school and has been employed by the Bell Telephone Company at Muncie. Mr. Crawley is a graduate of Greencastle high school and attended DePauw university one year.

The young couple will reside in Muncie where the bridegroom is employed as a presser.

Needlecraft Club To Meet Friday

The Needlecraft club will meet Friday afternoon, December 27, at 2, with Mrs. Robert Hamrick, north Jackson street. Members will please note change in time of meeting.

Mrs. Royal Davis and Daughter To Visit Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis

Mrs. Royal Davis and daughter, of Akron, Ohio, who spent Christmas with Mrs. Davis' parents in Crown Point, will arrive tomorrow for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis, Highland street. Royal Davis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis.

5 DIE ON CROSSING

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 24—(INS)—Five persons, all members of one family were dead today and the sixth seriously injured when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Chicago, Milwaukee and Pacific railroad train at a grade crossing near Mauston, Wisconsin.

The dead are: William Pennywell, 44, of Kendall, Wis., his daughter Ella 11, and Esther 9 Henry Vanschoick, 78 his nephew and his brother-in-law Joseph Hartwell.

Pennywell's son Frank, 20, is suffering from a fractured skull.

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Coughs from colds may lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a medical discovery with two-fold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth.

Of all known drugs, creosote is recognized by high medical authorities as one of the greatest healing agencies for coughs from colds and bronchial irritations. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing elements which soothe

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Big Four Route

PALESTINE

Mrs. Fred Beck spent Monday with Mrs. Card Summers.

Charlie Beck and Marie Beck spent Sunday night and Monday in Lebanon.

Miss Eva Call spent from Friday night until Sunday with Maire Beck.

Mrs. Henry Osborn and children and Horace Osborn spent Sunday with Mrs. Fred Beck. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Miller and daughter called in the afternoon.

Miss Josephine Walters spent Friday night and Saturday with Mrs. Fred Beck.

Mrs. Dessie Solomon is spending a few days in Lebanon.

Will Arnold was in Indianapolis Saturday.

Miss Eva Call called on Mrs. Henry Osborn Sunday night.

For the past few days the Indiana State Highway commission has had crews out working day and night trying to clear the road of snow-drifts. In some places the road was impassable.

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The coats marked with a new price and placed in this group are convincing examples of the tremendous possibilities for savings that are always to be found in a J. C. Penney Store.



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DOUBLE HEADER BASKETBALL BILL FRIDAY

TIGER CUBS TO TAKE ON ROOSEVELT OF EAST CHICAGO AND SECONDS TO PLAY GLENFORD, OHIO, QUINTET—VISITORS TO AFFORD PLENTY OF COMPETITION

Greencastle high school's post-Christmas basketball bill tomorrow night will bring some of the keenest competition the Tiger Cubs and Greencastle Reserves have met this year.

In the feature tilt the Tiger Cubs will play the strong Roosevelt of East Chicago quintet and in a preliminary game at 7 o'clock the Greencastle Reserves will play the Glenford, Ohio, quintet coached by H. L. Bitzer, a DePauw graduate and a Greencastle boy. Mr. Bitzer brought his team here for a game with Roachdale Wednesday night and also booked another tilt with the Greencastle Reserves for his team while they are here.

Both Greencastle and the Roosevelt high school teams have made impressive showings in basketball this year. Greencastle has lost but one game while the East Chicago teams most impressive showing was against Horace Mann. The Gary team which heads the Indiana Big Ten, was forced into an overtime to beat the Roosevelt five.

BRICK CHAPEL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM A SUCCESS

While a number of boys, girls and young people were unable to get to Brick Chapel Church on account of snow drifts, others were there to speak their pieces and render musical numbers; and Santa Claus visited long enough to help distribute the treat and presents from the tree.

The program was opened by the singing of "Joy To The World" by all after which Charley Hendrich, Sunday School Superintendent, gave the invocation. The remainder of the program was as follows:

"The Angel and The Shepherds," a reading—Miss Jewell Wright.

"To Bethlehem" a piece by Laura Thomas.

A Christmas Recitation, Mary June Reising.

Vocal Duet, Eileen and Wanda York, accompanied by their mother, Mrs. Clarice York.

Speech, Elizabeth Minnick.

"A Surprise"—piece by Charlotte Sanford.

"The King," a speech by Catherine Vaughn.

A dialogue, Betty and Winifred Grimes.

"Why I'm Here," a piece, Ada O'Hair.

Vocal duet "When Santa Claus Comes" Martina O'Hair and Mary June Reising, accompanied by Mrs. Lillian Rutter.

"Manda Jane" a speech by Marjorie Hall.

"A Giant Order" speech by Velma O'Hair.

"Mrs. Santa Complains" a piece by Josephine Hendrich.

"The Little Mixer" a Christmas story, Miss Martha Vaughn.

Piano Solo, Miss Margaret Coffman.

Vocal duet, Misses Elizabeth and Vera May Knauer.

Reading, Miss Eileen Scobee.

Speech, Winifred Grimes.

Piano duet, Mrs. Jesse South and daughter Rowena.

Christmas and New Years Greetings by the pastor.

Christmas Offering.

Nine girls sang "Silent Night, Holy Night." While standing out in the vestibule they sang the first verse then as they marched in singing a second verse the lights were dimmed, thus making a very beautiful effect. Sleight bells outside announced the coming of Santa Claus. The minister announced that there were in attendance 139 and if Santa got there, there would be 140. Soon afterwards sure enough in bounced jolly old Santa. The children were eager to see what he was going to bring them. Santa, with the assistance of several helpers, soon performed his duties and went on his way.

The success of the evening cannot be attributed to any one person, but to all who served on the various committees.

After the program at the Church the Epworth Leaguers went out caroling. Their songs brought Christmas cheer to ten families in the neighborhood.

The minister, Charles R. Query, a student in DePauw, will spend the remainder of his vacation with his mother, 837 N. Edison Street, Indianapolis.

HARDWOOD



HITS

The basketball scribe in the Brazil Times has the following remarks about the Tiger Cubs:

"Jefferson High of Lafayette refused to break up Greencastle's stalling game and handed the Tiger Cubs a Christmas present of the game, 25 to 13, Saturday. Jeff refused to be drawn down the floor by Greencastle's stalling game. Seven minutes were passed without a play. The referee took a chair that was handed him and ate an Eskimo pie. Fans as usual were not so well pleased with this style of play.

"Gross, husky center, was kept on the bench, for having made signs with his hand and thumb and nose in the Crawfordville game the night previous which the referee resented. Ellis, tall boy, was played at center in his place and did a good job of it. Greencastle has won seven games out of eight starts—and was defeated only by Delphi.

"Many fans claim Bausman has the best team in his history of coaching at Greencastle. When Brazil and Greencastle meet it will be practically the same teams that played last year, except as the coaches have improved them.

"Greencastle's victory over Crawfordville at Crawfordville was impressive. We play Crawfordville here, Jan. 31."

Casual Comment in the Bloomington World has the following pertinent remarks about Greencastle and DePauw in particular:

"Illinois fell another victim of DePauw's sharp shooting quintet last night up at Champaign. The score was 28 to 26, and a winning field goal was thrown in the final seconds of the game.

"Almost duplicating the Methodist's trick pulled on Indiana a couple of weeks ago.

"Gosh, we fear the Greencastle theaters will have to send another bill to DePauw for those boisterous campus tigers up there will have to take it out on someone when they get back to school."

Greencastle vs. Roosevelt, East Chicago.

Greencastle Reserves vs. Glenford, Ohio firsts.

That's the net menu for local fans in the high school gym here tomorrow night.

We admit we don't know much about the Roosevelt five except that they are plenty good, but H. L. Bitzer, coach of the Glenford, called on the writer this morning and informed us that Glenford has won the championship of Perry County in his state five times in the past six years.

So far the Glenford team has won seven games in seven starts in their home state this year. Its first defeat was at Roachdale last night when the 1929 sectional champs trimmed them 67 to 23, after a first half lead of 30 to 10.

Coach Bitzer, a DePauw graduate and brother of Orville Bitzer of this city, expressed his appreciation for the fine treatment he received from fans and the team at Roachdale last night.

The Glenford team, taking its first out-state trip, is composed of Henderson and Swinehart, forwards; Taylor, center; and Kelly and K. Hetrick, guards. Substitutes are Meckling, Cooperider, C. Smith, M. Smith and Lee.

C. Hetrick, regular guard on the team, was injured in a game last Friday, and was unable to make the trip here.

RAIL MERGER OPPOSED
BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Dec. 25.—Harry Kurrie, president of the Monon railroad, in a telegram from Chicago to Henley & Evans, local legal representatives of the road, announces it will oppose being merged with the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. The statement by Kurrie has reference to a recent announcement of railroad consolidation plans by the interstate commerce commission.

ADMITS HE BEAT PARENT TO DEATH

MISHAWAKA, Ind., Dec. 26.—(INS)—Police today held Serano Crucitti, 25, awaiting the inquest into the death of his father, Alphonse, 60 years old, whom he is charged with having beaten to death with a shotgun Christmas Eve.

According to police Crucitti surrendered and admitted killing his father, after the parent attacked and beat his mother in a quarrel over a broken plate.

LEBANON DOCTOR

DIES IN HOSPITAL
LEBANON, Ind., Dec. 25.—Death cut into the ranks of the medical profession in Lebanon for the second time in two days and the fourth time in two years when Dr. James R. Ball, 61 years old, succumbed to blood poisoning at the Methodist hospital in Indianapolis early today.

Infection developed in a scratch received from surgical scissors while treating a patient and Dr. Ball entered the hospital Friday where his condition gradually grew worse.

He had practiced medicine and surgery here for the last thirty-seven years and was the local surgeon for steam and traction lines for thirty years.

Dr. Henry N. Coons, for 46 years a practicing physician here, passed away yesterday and Dr. H. L. Baker and Dr. James H. Black died here within the last two years.

APPROVE SELECTION OF PURDUE COACHES

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Dec. 25.—Complete satisfaction over the solution of Purdue's football coaching problem reached by the signing of Noble Kizer as head coach and Mal Elward and Earl Martineau as assistants, has been expressed by Purdue alumni students and athletic department members who are conversant with the situation.

By retaining the Kizer, Elward-Martineau trio, the same unit that was largely responsible for the individual instruction that brought the Boilermakers their first Western conference title this fall, Purdue has made it possible for the same system to be carried on that was originally installed by Jimmy Phelan, coach for the past eight years, who will take over the gridiron reins at Washington university (Seattle, Wash.) this spring.

NATION-WIDE HUNT FOR HOOSIER MADE

Search for Allen Nicholson, automobile dealer of Plainfield, who disappeared from his home Nov. 20, has taken on a nation-wide scope, it was said yesterday by Indianapolis police.

Police in other cities and members of several fraternity organizations to which Nicholson belonged have aided.

Nicholson was described by his wife as being about 5 feet 7 inches tall. He weighs 140 pounds and is 40 years old. On the day he disappeared he came to Indianapolis and his car was found later at the Elm garage there. Mrs. Nicholson could give no reason for his act.

CARD OF THANKS

The Greencastle Telephone Company operators wish to thank the following business men for their kindness in sending candy and Christmas greetings:

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J. L. Etter 39.00
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Star Store, Washington 5.00
C. C. Tucker, Warren 11.00
Ed. C. Hamilton, Jefferson 6.80
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The Banner, Bridge Repair 158.50
Leland Torr, Bridge Repair 90.90
Thos. Williams 440.45
Albert Houck 28.50
Ellis & Co. 72.90
W. E. GILL, Auditor Putnam County.

21. Dec. 26-Jan. 2.

BLIZZARD COST STATE \$100,000 ESTIMATE SHOWS

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 26.—(INS)—The Indiana blizzard cost the State highway commission more than \$100,000, A. H. Hinkle, highway commission maintenance superintendent, estimated here today.

Hinkle said that when the force of employees was raised from 3,000 to 5,000 men and night and day shifts were instituted to clear the snow-blocked roads, labor costs mounted to \$75,000. Snow-removal machinery and equipment, part of which was necessary for normal snow battling, cost another \$50,000, Hinkle said.

THE THEATERS

THE GRANADA

"Woman To Woman" Excellently Balanced Talking Production
There is dancing and singing in "Woman to Woman," the Victor Saville all-talking production presented by Tiffany-Stahl, at the Granada theater Thursday and Friday, but it doesn't crowd out one of the most poignant and gripping dramas that has come to the talking screen. It works its way into your heart and gives you a pleasant little ache—thanks to three splendid portraits by Betty Compson, George Barraud and Juliette Compton of some very sincere and likeable people.

Michael Morton's stage play provided the plot for "Woman to Woman," which gets its title from the situation in which a man's wife and the mother of his son get together and decide, as frankly and fairly as men settle their problems, what is best for the boy's future. Pride and love conflict in a heartrending scene, played in perfect key and tempo by Betty Compson and Juliette Compton.

Betty Compson, whether singing, dancing or making you cry, is magnificent.

Added features of the program are the Pat Rooney family in "Marking Time," and Paramount Sound News.

BASKETBALL

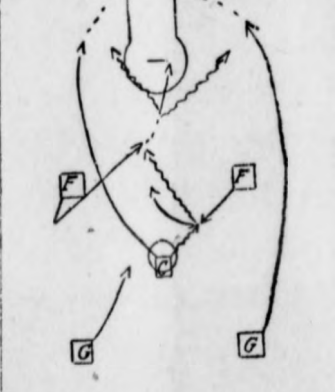


By Coach Everett S. Dean
Indiana University

Article 23—Center Plays

Offensive center plays have two-fold use. Some coaches use center plays for the purpose of getting possession of the ball. After getting the ball a slow break is employed to work the ball in for a shot. Other coaches will use hard driving, fast breaking center plays for a quick basket. If the play is successful it is very demoralizing to the defense. This play is more popularly used than the first one.

How many center plays should a coach give his team? This is a common question asked by student coaches at summer coaching schools.



Key
Pass
Dribble
Path of Player

Three or four plays are sufficient providing they are properly used. Too many plays will hinder good execution.

Center play formations are balanced and unbalanced. The chart above represents the balanced formation. The unbalanced formation has the players lined up in irregular order. Formations at center should be simple and at the same time should be the same type of play as the other offensive plays. In planning center plays they should be well balanced as for offense and defense.

Signals for center plays are given by one of the players the coach chooses. They should be simple and easily recognized. It is best to have one player giving the real signal with others faking them.

THURSDAY—Jump Ball Plays.

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COMEDY AND NEWS

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the Judge of the Circuit Court of Putnam County, Indiana, administrator of the estate of Jane D. Bridges late of Putnam County, deceased.

Said estate is supposed to be solvent.

CLARENCE CLODFELTER, Administrator.

Wm. Sutherland, Attorney.
31. Dec. 12-19-26.

SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of a certified copy of a Decree to me directed from the Clerk of the Putnam Circuit Court, Putnam County, Indiana, in a cause wherein Central National Bank of Greencastle, Indiana is Plaintiff and the Central Trust Company of Greencastle, Indiana is cross-complainant, and Albert P. Burnside and Ellen D. Burnside are Defendants, requiring me to make the sum of Thirty-one hundred sixty Dollars and seventy cents, with interest on said decree and costs, (less the sum of \$479.18 paid on said Judgement Nov. 22, 1929,) I will expose at Public Sale to the highest bidder, on Saturday, the 4th day of January A. D. 1930, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the door of the Court House in Greencastle, Putnam County, Indiana, the rents and profits for a term not exceeding seven years of the following Real Estate to-wit:

Tract No. 2: Part of Lot number one (1) in Walton's Subdivision of Lots No. 206 and 213 in the Original Plat of Greencastle, Commencing at the southeast corner of said Lot No. 1; thence west on south line thereof 110 feet; thence north parallel to the east line of said Lot, 50 feet; thence east with the south line of said Lot No. 1, 110 feet to the east line of said Lot 50 feet to the place of beginning;

Also Tract No. 3: Lot 1 in Walton's Subdivision of Lots No. 206 and 213 in the Original Plat of the town, now city, of Greencastle and 37 1/2 feet off of the south side of Lot No. 2 in said Subdivision, except said above described tract No. 2, described as follows: Commencing at the southeast corner of said Lot No. 1; thence west on the south line thereof 110 feet; thence north parallel to the east line of said Lot, 50 feet; thence east parallel to the south line of said Lot No. 1, 110 feet to the east line of said Lot; thence south on said east line to the place of beginning; all in Putnam County, Indiana.

If such rents and profits will not sell for a sufficient sum to satisfy said decree, interests and costs, I will, at the same time and place expose at public sale the fee simple of said real estate, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to discharge said decree, interest and costs. Said sale will be made without any relief whatever from valuation or appraisal laws.

EDWARD EITELJORGE, Sheriff Putnam County.

Hays & Murphy, Attorney for Plaintiffs.

December 9 A. D. 1929.

31. Dec. 11-18-26-Posters.

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